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Circuit Clerk—J. F. Nash.

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Surveyor—W. M. McCallister.
School Supt.—Mrs. G. R. Shulton.
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LODGE.

MASONIC.

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E. G. Atkins, Secretary.

COLUMBIA CHAPTER, R. A. M., No. 1, meets Friday night after full moon in each month.
H. W. Lewis, R. P.
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COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY
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IMPROVEMENTS WANTED

Pointers That Indicate the General Feeling of the People.

GOOD ROADS - - - MORE BRIDGES

Mr. I. T. Farris, of Cane Valley, was met Friday. "I am in favor of bettering the condition of our county roads. I want the Fiscal Court to purchase rock crushers and build bridges where needed. I will cheerfully pay my part of the expense. Persons who do not travel over the county have but little conception of the condition of our public highways. They are getting worse all the time, and if they are not improved, in a few years farmers can not reach the market with a third of a load of produce. Repair the roads is my motto."

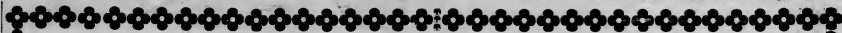
Dr. S. P. Miller: "I want to see the county roads in better condition. The grader does good work, but in order to make substantial highways the grades must be covered with metal. If rock crushers are the machines needed, then I am in favor of the Fiscal Court purchasing them. But in my judgment the way to get good roads is to build pikes and tax the county to pay for same."

Mr. G. T. Rodgers, of Milltown, puts it in the following language which can not be misleading: "I am heartily in favor of good roads and bridges over all the streams wherever needed. These improvements are badly needed and just now there are many places in our roads almost impassable. Good county highways enhance farm lands and besides they make every class of business more lively. Adair, is one of the best mountain counties in the State, if it can be called a mountain county, and she is justly entitled to better roads and more bridges. I hope the Fiscal Court will make an appropriation for these improvements. I am perfectly willing to pay my part of the tax for rock crushers."

Mr. S. D. Barbee, who is a farmer and tax-payer speaks in this language: "I do not think more bridges should be built at this time, but I am in favor of the county Court buying rock crushers. The roads in many localities need immediate attention. Delay makes matters worse. I am perfectly willing to pay my part of the tax for rock crushers."

Mr. W. A. Coffey says: "I am in favor of better roads and believe it would be economy for the county to purchase two stone crushers. It will require but little expense now to grade our roads properly, and when this is done, if we can put stone on we will soon have them in condition that they can be kept in good repair with but little expense. Public improvement results in private benefit to every property owner in the county. The results of the past few years clearly indicate this. The spirit of public improvement began in our country in 1902, since which time we have, I suppose, spent something like twenty thousand dollars in building bridges, and the betterment of our roads and taxable wealth has increased during that same period about seven hundred thousand dollars. While this is not all due to public improvement, yet it is certainly due to some extent to this fact. If we only attribute one seventh of this increase in the value of our property to the public improvement made, we have then realized five dollars return for every one expended. This increase in wealth may be attributed by some to the board of supervisors, but the sales of land prove this to be incorrect. In my opinion the property owners of our county, and especially the farmers, will receive a greater return for money judiciously expended in the building of good roads than for any investment we can make. With good macadam roads, the farmer living six miles from town is as convenient to market as those now living half the distance. I do not favor a burdensome rate of taxation, but think we should build as many miles of good highway each year as possible without it becoming oppressive. Nothing can in my judgment so greatly enhance the value of farm lands as good roads and bridges."

Mr. J. H. Pelley, of Pollyton, states his position in plain English: "I favor



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ATTRACT ATTENTION OF BUYERS

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THE BUGGY BUSINESS

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ANOTHER VERY IMPORTANT FACT

to be considered is this: All manufacturers being desirous of holding their force together, and giving them constant employment, are always ready and willing to make concessions in prices to large buyers, who have nerve enough to place their orders 6 to 8 months ahead.

With these facts in view their buyer spent several weeks last October at the meeting of the Tri-State Carriage Dealers Association, which met at Columbus, O. He also visited most all the large manufactures in the U. S.

During the time he made contracts with several of the most reliable factories in the country for large lots of work to be manufactured during the dull months of November, December and January, thus securing concessions in prices, which puts them in position to offer the trade greater value than they have ever been able to offer before. With this fact before you, we know it will pay you to

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Watch this space for the next 8 to 10 issues, as they will have something to say in each issue that will be very interesting to all who contemplate buying a vehicle this season.

They extend a hearty invitation to any prospective buyer in Adair and adjoining counties to come to Campbellsville and inspect their MAMMOTH Stock. If you can't go, then call them by telephone

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or write them and they will gladly send you cuts and description. If you don't buy from them, you both lose money.



the building of a bridge at Neatsville, and the making of rock roads throughout the county. A stone crusher is not needed in our section as we have all the gravel necessary for making good roads, but I favor buying and using a crusher in other parts of the county where gravel is not so plentiful. I am willing to pay my part of the tax for such a move and I am also in favor of building a bridge at Neatsville this year. The only way to dispose of these important questions is for the Fiscal Court to have the bridge built and do all for the roads within a reasonable assessment. The longer delayed the worse for the county. I favor immediate and effective action on these propositions.

Mr. Josh Butler spoke as follows: "I want to see better road conditions in Adair County, and I favor the purchasing of rock crushers. The work of the grader must be followed with stones. I am also in favor of building bridges where needed. The people of the county would not feel the additional tax. I hope the County Court will act wisely upon the proposition and make the necessary levy."

Prof. C. R. Payne, Business Manager of the Lindsey-Wilson School, says: "Put me down as advocating good roads and bridges. Good, smooth public highways speak volumes for a com-

ty, and if we secure them the farmers would be greatly benefited and all other classes of men. Besides, they would invite people to our county to locate, and in a few years we would have several more hundred in our domain than we now have. I am a taxpayer of this county, but I am willing to have them raised for public improvements. Rock crushers are the machines we need and I hope the Fiscal Court will make a levy to buy them. I also favor the building of bridges where needed."

Mr. J. D. Walker, expresses himself thusly: "I have always been in favor of improving the county roads and I am also in favor of more bridges and am perfectly willing to pay an additional tax for same. In my judgment good roads and bridges would enhance the business of Adair County greatly, and I hope the Fiscal Court will favorably consider the proposition. The fact is farmers get along slowly without good public highways. The cost of rock crushers would hardly be felt by the people of the county, and they should certainly be purchased."

Mr. B. F. Tupman says: "I am in favor of public improvements; I want better roads and a bridge across Steam river at Neatsville. These improvements will increase my tax, but I am willing to bear my part. The road from Columbia to Burton's store at this time is almost impassable, the mud being six or eight inches deep in many places. Rock crushers would not increase our taxes but little, and I think the Fiscal Court should purchase them. There is not a place in the county that stands more in need of a bridge than Neatsville."

A portion of a sentence was left out in Hon. W. F. Neill's interview, pub-

KENTUCKY NEWS.

Burglars at Glencoe.
Business Men's Club organized at Liberty.

I. O. F. to have a new hall at Morehead.

Snow four feet deep in Boone county last week.

Evangelist Cooke conducting revival in Morehead.

New steel vault for the Hardin county clerk's office.

Rowan county has a White Ribbon Temperance club.

Sunday is the popular day for weddings in Gallatin county.

Dr. R. W. Duncan, of White Mills, dead as a result of paralysis.

Bloodhounds on the trail of Lisman, Webster county burglars.

Kentucky overall factory at E'town operating night and day forces.

Upton, Hardin county, recuperating from devastation of recent fire.

Football team at Middleburg announce "ready for a match game."

One hundred and thirty miles of macadam highway in Hardin county.

E'town Commercial Club preparing for big meeting in Court-house March 12.

"Cream of Hops" a new name for beer said to be handled by a Kentucky dealer.

William Barrett, night telegraph operator at Elliston depot, has a class in telegraphy.

Nearly every county in the State to have a "Home Coming" following the big event in Louisville.

Normandy, Spencer county, has a brand new depot, and "everybody goes to see the trains come in."

Dr. H. C. Lassing, old and popular physician of Beaver Lick, Boone county, stricken with paralysis.

Central City's new Postoffice building is completed, heated by steam and lighted by electricity and all ready for the Postmaster.

ODD BITS OF INFORMATION.

The present population of Austria-Hungary is 46,000,000.

In 1904 there were 534,000 miles of railway in the world.

More than 90,000 women are engaged in the lace industry in Russia.

Slot machines with gambling devices have been suppressed in Spain.

Russia leads the world in planting forests; America in devastating them.

A law has been enacted forbidding the importation of opium as a narcotic into Australia.

Each minute is said to witness the death of sixty-seven persons and the birth of seventy.

Sumatra has a greater variety of animal and vegetable life than any other region in the world.

A man, to be perfectly proportioned, should weigh twenty-eight pounds for every foot of his height.

Whistling, according to some physicians, will do much toward the development of a robust physician frame.

In twelve marriages out of every hundred one of the parties has been married before, so an English statistician figures.

The Queen of Holland runs a dairy on business lines at the castle of Loo. The produce is sold and everything done on a commercial basis.

If a basin of water is placed over-night in a room where people have been smoking, the usual smell of stale tobacco will be gone in the morning.

READ THIS, MY BOY.

The following brief narrative carries its own moral with it:

"My dear boy," said a father to his only son, "you are in bad company; the lads with whom you associate indulge in bad habits. They drink, smoke, swear, and play cards. They are not safe company for you. I beg you to quit their society."

"You needn't be afraid of me, father," replied the boy laughing: "I know how far to go and when to stop."

The lad left his father's house twirling his cane and laughing at the old man's notions.

A few years later, the lad grown to manhood, stood at the bar of a court, before a jury which had just brought a verdict of guilty for some crime in which he had been concerned. Before he was sentenced he addressed the Court, and said, among other things: "My downward course began in disobedience to my parents. I thought I knew as much of the world as my father did, and I spurned his advice; but as soon as I turned my back on my home, temptations came upon me like a drove of hyenas and hurried me on to ruin."

Mark that confession, you boys who are beginning to be wiser than your parents! Mark it, and learn that disobedience is the first step on the road to ruin. Don't take it.—Reformatory Record.

COUNTY EDITORS.

It occurred to us this week as we ran over our thirty or forty exchanges to note the moral tone in them, says the Hancock Clarion. These papers are of all sizes and grades, from almost every variety of town, and are edited by practical men, who are pretty well acquainted with the world, the flesh and the devil; and in not one of them did we find a semblance of demerol of whiskey. In none of them was there a trace of vulgarity and none taught or justified dishonesty. Neither could we find a sneer at purity, at religion, at the best things in life. In many of them were excellent bits of advice, little homely sermons on temperance in all things, frugality. Wherever there was mention of the public schools it was in terms of praise. To be sure, here and there was fun poked at sham, and some scorn at pretense. But the note in every one of these papers was for decency, progress, enlightenment, morality. And to these editors, during these thirteen years we have been a publisher, we have grown to know many of them personally, and of those whose papers reach our desks, not one is a drinking man, not a confirmed gambler, not one a libertine. A pretty decent lot they are, in fact we doubt if any other profession can offer a higher, or even as high showing. Besides all this, the country editor is proverbially liberal, free-hearted in every way. No public subscription list ever passes him without his mite. This isn't an humble effort to throw bouquets at our contemporaries, but, with Paul, we believe every man should magnify his calling, and are proud of ours.

Orders Disobeyed

The orders of general health have been disobeyed, when you feel under the weather, weak, tired, irritable, and suffer from headache, constipation, biliousness, etc. The only sure cure, safe and permanent cure for this condition is Dr. Caldwell's (Laxative) Syrup Pepsin. It has a gentle action all its own, superior to that of pills, powders, and cathartic waters. Try it. Sold by Dr. J. N. Page, of Columbia and Page & Moore, of Cane Valley, at 50c and \$1. Money back if it fails.

MCKINLEY AND THE LITTLE BOY.

This story started others concerning McKinley; Senator Dick, who happened in, related an incident of how a little boy, who had called to see the late president, made a very candid observation. Mr. McKinley patted the child on the head and said:

"How are you, my little man, and how do you like my room?" The child looked up with clear blue eyes at the kind face above him, saying:

"Mithter Matinley, I like you, but I think you ought to clean thith room," and he fixed his eye on the ceiling, blackened by the flaring gas-jet which had been burning like a beacon light almost continuously during those busy days.

Mr. McKinley laughed, and turning to those present, said:

"Gentlemen, it sometimes takes a little child to point out defects which we grownups have overlooked. My little man," he added, "this room shall be cleaned. You have taught us a lesson."

Then the child took the President's hand and looking up confidently, said:

"Mithter Matinley, we'd like you to be prethident of the whole world."

How little it was dreamed at that time that in a few years these words would sound almost like a prophecy, and that President McKinley would be chief of a domain reaching far into the Orient!—[From "Affairs at Washington," by Joe Mitchell Chapple, in National Magazine for March.

Gallies for Aids.

When your stomach is all upset, your liver in bad shape, your bowels out of whack, your head like to split, and every nerve in your body on edge, Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin gallops for aid, and you get it. It cleans out your poisoned system, brings fresh, clean blood-supply to all your digestive organs, and restores to you that comfortable feeling of perfect health. Sold by Dr. J. N. Page, of Columbia, and Page & Moore, of Cane Valley, at 50c and \$1. Money back if it fails.

THE PLAINT OF THE VETERANS.

"A full loaf for the short march before us" is the eloquent plea of the Mexican veterans who are appealing to Congress for better provision for the decrepit and needy survivors of the war of sixty years ago. Congress would do a graceful and patriotic thing by promptly granting the desired relief.

As the memorial of the veterans points out, a man who was of age at the time of enlistment in that war is now more than 80 years old, and of the survivors a large portion are 90 years of age, or older. They are so few in number that the money necessary to relieve their distress would not be missed from the Treasury.

The Mexican War cost the United States hardly more than is now paid out every year or two in Civil War pensions. The men who fought suffered many hardships and privations, and won for the United States magnificent additions to our domain. A small percentage of the taxes which the government now collects in the States and Territories erected from the region annexed at the close of that war would make the survivors comfortable for the period of life remaining to them.

The additional expense would be for a short time only. In five years one-half of the Mexican veterans now living will have passed away, and in ten years there will be hardly a corporal's guard of them left. Make them comfortable while they live. No man who has served his country well in war should be suffered to die in the want and misery which so often attend the helplessness of extreme old age.—St. Louis Republic.

"ARWED," THE COACH HORSE



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Malvern, Pa., Woman Secures Book for a Few Cents, as Memento, and Valuable Paper Slips from Between the Pages.

Philadelphia.—Under curious circumstances Miss Bertha Johnson, of Malvern, this state, has discovered that she is the sole heiress to an estate amounting to over \$100,000, which has been left by her aged cousin, Mrs. Emily Robinson. Incidentally the story is one of disappointed relatives who had expected to obtain Mrs. Robinson's fortune, and a reward for Miss Johnson for a life spent in loving care of her cousin.

When, a score of years ago, Mrs. Robinson's husband died, she was thought to be a widow with scarcely sufficient property to provide her support. She had several nephews and nieces, who, although they were better supplied with worldly goods than Mrs. Robinson, failed to offer her a home, give her any financial aid. Miss Johnson, who was a more distant relative, had been left a home by the death of her father and she promptly offered to share it with Mrs. Robinson, which the latter accepted.

It was not long after this that a valuable limestone quarry was found on some supposedly worthless land which belonged to Mrs. Robinson. This was sold and the widow and her kind-hearted cousin were enabled to more than keep the wolf from their door from the proceeds.

About a year ago Mrs. Robinson died. A search was made of her effects without discovering a will, and one of the nephews who had failed to aid her in her time of need was appointed to administer the estate. Preparations were made to divide her property among the nephews and nieces to the exclusion of Miss Johnson.

To finally close the estate, the widow's few articles of personal property were offered at public sale this week. Determined to have some keepsake of her cousin Miss Johnson attended the sale. At last the old Bible with which Mrs. Robinson had spent many comforting moments in her declining years was put up. The bidding was started but no one seemed anxious to acquire the volume, and Miss Johnson secured the well-worn book for a few cents. The auctioneer handed it down to her, and as he did so, a neatly folded paper fell from it. Opening it Miss Johnson found it to be a will, duly signed and witnessed, by the terms of which Mrs. Robinson had left her entire estate to her benefactor.

The nearer relatives consulted counsel in an endeavor to have the will broken, but without success.

FAMOUS SHIP TO BE SOLD

Missionary Craft Taken to Honolulu Where It Will Be Auctioned to Highest Bidder.

Seattle, Wash.—After being used for 18 months among the Micronesian group of islands in the South seas the famous missionary ship Morning Star has been taken to Honolulu where she will be sold at auction.

The Morning Star was bought by the pennies of Sunday school children throughout the country. Her cost was \$40,000. The steamer was originally the Shoe City, running between Boston and Lynn.

Eighteen months ago the Morning Star sailed from Boston with a party of missionaries bound for the South Sea Islands. After landing the people the steamer was employed carrying supplies from the various islands and missionary stations and also in carrying native children to the Christian schools. There are few vessels afloat so well known to seamen as the "Preacher Ship," as she was named.

The reason for selling the steamer is stated to be the cost of operating her. Coal in the South seas commands a higher price than in more frequented portions of the globe, and the traffic would scarcely justify the board retaining so large a steamer.

WANTS CURB ON MARRIAGES

John Gibson Hale of Chicago Asks Law for All Kinds of a Check on Cupid.

Washington, D. C.—Mr. Jenkins, of Wisconsin, chairman of the committee on judiciary, is in receipt of the draft of a measure which he is asking by John Gibson Hale, an attorney of Chicago, to introduce and have passed, and which deals in a radical way with the marital relation.

The proposed measure provides for a physical examination of all parties applying for a license to enter into marriage, requires that they shall be in a state of health, impose a tax on married couples without children, put a bounty on children in the way of tax-exemptions and provides for a tax upon bachelors.

Mr. Jenkins is both a husband and father, but he is not disposed to introduce the measure unless he does so by request.

The Almaden mine in Spain produces about 50 per cent. of all the quicksilver in the world.

WISE OR OTHERWISE.

Better a clever enemy than a fool friend.

It's but a step from cunning to rascality.

A cunning man is seldom wise, and never honest.

Adversity sometimes transforms a coward into a hero.

There is no graduating from the school of experience.

One sinner is apt to rejoice in the downfall of another.

Knowledge of one's ignorance is the master key to wisdom.

Every time one man loses his temper, another gains his point.

A blush is one of the few things that cannot be counterfeited.

The bitter dregs of truth are to be found at the bottom of the cup.

When a man challenges comparison he has to fight against big odds.

Surely the man who deceives himself, is an easy mark for other deceivers.

A man may be short of ideas and still be able to hand out a long line of talk.

It is a man's nature to fall, but he sometimes fools people by refusing to do it.

An attempt to judge his future by his past is enough to discourage any man.

An ideal political organization is one that blindly follows its leader, right or wrong.

If a man is prosperous he has no use for his friends; if he isn't they have no use for him.

Everybody wants to boss somebody, and there is always somebody who wants to boss everybody.

One-half a successful man's success may be due to good luck and the other half to good judgment.

It sometimes comes to pass that after a man has eaten everything set before him he wonders what ails him.

Overcrowded.

It is a pretty dangerous thing to allow your system to get overcrowded with undigested food—poisons, bile poisons, bowel poisons. Get rid of them by taking Dr. Caldwell's (Laxative) Syrup. Tapering, and you will, right away, feel such a wonderful change for the better, that you will never let yourself get into that condition again. Safe and pleasant relief and cure, for headache, constipation, biliousness, etc. Try it. Sold by Dr. J. N. Page, of Columbia, and Page & Moore, of Cave Valley, at 50c and \$1. Money back if it fails.

Mary and Anna Mason, two faithful colored servants of J. B. Thompson, of Mt. Sterling, were well remembered in the will of their master.

W. P. Hackett, of Winchester, has been chosen superintendent of Mt. Sterling Water, Light and Ice Company's plant.

The Breath of Life

It's a significant fact that the strongest animal of its size, the gorilla, also has the largest lungs. Powerful lungs means powerful creatures. How to keep the breathing organs right should be man's chiefest study. Like thousands of others, Mrs. Ora A. Stephens, of Port Williams, O., has learned how to do this. She writes: "Three bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery stopped my cough of two years and cured me of what my friend thought consumption. O, it's grand for throat and lung troubles." Guaranteed by T. E. Paull, druggist. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

Judge Flanagan, of Winchester, caught his foot under a buggy shaft which had been left protruding over the side walk. He fell and was considerably injured.

GOOD ADVICE.

Keep good company or none. Never be idle. If your hands can not be usefully employed, attend to the cultivation of your mind. Always speak the truth. Make few promises. Live up to your engagements. Keep your own secrets if you have any. When you speak to a person look him in the face. Good company and good conversation are the very sinews of virtue. Good character is above all things else. Your character can not be essentially injured except by your own acts. If any one speaks ill of you, let your life be so that none will believe him. Ever live, misfortune excepted, within your income. When you retire to bed, think over what you have been doing during the day. Make no haste to be rich if you would prosper. Small and steady gains give competency with tranquility of mind. Avoid temptation through fear that you may not be able to withstand it. Earn money before you spend it. Never run in debt unless you see a way to get out again. Never borrow if you can possibly avoid it. Do not marry until you are able to support a wife. Never speak ill of any one.

THOUGHTS FROM MONNA VANNA.

Love for one sole object is happy and laudable, but love that rises to greater heights, that seeks a higher range is better. Nay, watchful, purity and faith are excellent virtues; but there are times when they seem but small if one look elsewhere.

Where is the wise man that hath not his private madness, the good man to whom no monstrous ideas has ever come?

Let us give reasonable time to put our duty and our pain in their right places.

They err who believe that heroism has no other height but in death. The most heroic act is that which costs the most—and death is often less painful than life.

You that have always the sword in your hand are two much given to believing that there is no other courage than that which shines from its point. There is another kind of courage, less brilliant, it may be, and less vaunted by men's tongues, since it does less harm, and they venerate that by which they suffer.

CHILDREN'S HOME SOCIETY.

The Kentucky Children's Home Society has sixty boys and girls between the ages of three and nine for whom they desire good, Christian homes. These children are unusually bright and attractive and we guarantee that no family will be disappointed in a child we send them.

The winter months have given us an enormous amount of work to do. We are receiving more children now in a month than we formerly did in a year and as a rule, the children are much brighter and much better looking and much easier controlled than children we formerly handled.

Will you not show your interest in this great work for humanity by giving a home to one of these little ones? Unless you have a first-class home in every respect and unless you are moral and stand well in your community, do not apply, as we will, under no circumstances, place a child in a home unless it can get the very best advantages.

This is the Master's work, inasmuch as he said "Suffer little children to come unto Me and forbid them not." If you are interested in this charity, and

would like to take a child, please address the Kentucky Children's Home Society, No. 2116 Vant Borries Avenue, Louisville, Ky. Yours very respectfully,
GEORGE L. SEHON,
State Supt.

SENTENCE SERMONS.

The Devil has no more effective weapon than the Christian's rusty sword.

Every time you envy another man his meal you drop gall into your own plate.

People who cannot stand up in the fight must not look to sit down in the feast.

Don't think you are fixed on feathers there because you make a lot of fuss here.

Many a man is praying for grace to bear his trials who needs just sand to shake them.

When friendship is just a social ladder, the soul goes down faster than the feet can climb up.

The fact that this world does not agree with you, gives no certainty that the next one will.

Many men think they are saints because they have such an intense hatred of certain sinners.

It's hard for the man who has ground off his nose on the money mill to smell a taint or anything.

It's better to take chances on pauperizing some than to starve your own soul by denying aid to all.

It's not much use pronouncing a benediction on your brother when you have blood in your eye—Henry F. Cope, in Chicago Tribune.

DIRIGO.

Mr. J. W. McClister, has been on the sick list for the past few days.

The bushes and briars are disappearing from the old fence rows, but the farmers of this section have done but little plowing.

Mr. J. H. Wheeler, Rugby, was here one day last week.

A. M. Cheatham, of Cumberland county was in this section last week buying hogs.

Mrs. Warfield Estes who has been sick for some time, is improving slowly.

Luther Polston, of Cumberland county, is hauling corn for Messrs Parsons and Brooks this week.

P. V. Grissom called on our merchants last Wednesday.

Mrs. Chas. Bennett, Fairplay, visited the family of J. W. McClister several days last week.

R. S. Royce, was at Edmontown last Monday.

Master Willie Bennett, was very sick a day or so last week.

Messrs. Campbell, Stotts and McKinney, are running their mill at a two forty pace this week. A look at their log yard would make one think that a new timber region was just being opened.

Prof. Mosby closed his singing at Greenbriar, last Sunday.

Rev. T. Jessie, was here one day last week looking for a school for his daughter.

Eldridge Stotts, has recently accepted a position with the needle and thimble factory of Boston, and is now on the road.

Mary, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Campbell, is quite sick.

Neighbors of Amos Ross, of Madisonville, got into a wrangle over which of the parents Ross' baby, just born, most resembled.

The Adair County News.

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Democratic newspaper devoted to the interests of the city of Columbia and the people of Adair and adjacent counties.

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The bill introduced in the legislature to place Adair county in the Fourth Congressional district was brought to the front one day last week and was killed by the skillful tactics of tacking on amendments, making it impossible of passage. The truth of the whole matter is that the representatives from the Third district bent on giving Butler to the Fourth, knocked out by pressing their claim and doing so when no hope of carrying their point could be seen or entertained. The Fourth was willing to add Adair and the failure of passage is not due to the action of its representatives. The truth is that Hon. J. M. Mitchell, representative from Green and Taylor, stood for the bill with all the firmness and fidelity that enters the makeup of an honest, courageous man, and furthermore he was truly and honestly representing his counties in this matter. The Democrats of Adair are not unmindful or unappreciative of Mr. Mitchell's position, and in the future we trust that we can have an opportunity to show him, in a more substantial way, the true appreciation of Adair county Democrats for the honest and faithful efforts to help us out and aid us in so doing. As it is, we are left in the Eleventh to fight as we have in the past with out having a ray of hope. Many of Adair county Democrats were willing to be placed anywhere just to get out of the Eleventh, but so far as we are concerned it makes but little difference whether we were left in our present district or switched on to the Third, for the bulk of political aspirants of that district has no brotherly feeling for our county. Their action only justifies a political scheme to swap Butler for Adair and dispose of 800 Republican majority in the deal. The News will still do its duty as it sees it, regardless of environment, for our county, Southern Kentucky and Democratic principles. Rightfully, we should be placed in the Fourth, but the chance at present has gone glimmering.

Caleb Powers will be tried again in the Kentucky Courts. The Supreme Court of the United States, in an opinion handed down last Monday afternoon by Justice Harlan, held that the case could not be transferred to the Federal Court upon the grounds set forth by the defendant, and the State was awarded custody of Powers. All the Judges concurred in the opinion.

There are 7017 saloons in Chicago, opposing the raising of a saloon license from \$500 to \$1,000 and yet the city council has passed an ordinance that will make them foot up the latter amount or quit business. Such a measure will doubtless close the doors of many dives.

The Legislature just adjourned gave Kentucky the largest printed bill of fare ever given to the State and served less of it than any similar body from the days of Daniel Boone to the present. It was distinctly a bill Legislature.

No one guessed the meaning of No. 21. It meant Lyon Bros.' telephone number.

It is probably a blessing that the Legislature failed to make laws out of all of its bills.

Providence, Webster county, has a "Baldheaded Men's Club" growing in membership at a rapid rate.

Mumps broke up the Mt. Olivet school. Johnnie Lewis took 'em there, and teacher and eleven pupils went home with them.

EDWARDSVILLE, OKLAHOMA.

Editor News:—

Thinking perhaps that I might say something that would be of interest to my many friends in "Old Kentucky" through your paper, I drop you a few lines.

Oklahoma is Southern in point of geographical position. The people are Western in their aggressive and untiring energy; they are Eastern in their educational facilities and lines of thought; they are Northern in their methods of farming.

The name Oklahoma, derived from the Indian for "beautiful land," is appropriately descriptive of its general characteristics. No one can possibly set the limits on the wealth and development which the future contains for this young giant of the southwest." It is pre-eminently not only the "Land of the Future," but the "Land of Now."

The total area of Oklahoma is 33,830 square miles, of which about 200 square miles is water surface. The Territory embraces about 24,000,000 acres of fertile land as can be found in any county. By comparison it is as large as the combined area of the states of Delaware, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, and New Jersey.

Physically it consists as a whole, of rolling prairie land with an average altitude of about 1,500 feet above sea level, and a general inclination toward the southwest.

Oklahoma is blessed with most favorable conditions of climate, which combine with the variety and natural richness of the soil to make it a garden spot. The wheat crop of Oklahoma for 1905 is aggregated 45,000,000 bushels. The corn crop for the same year exceeded 75,000,000 bushels.

Taxes are not high and are decreasing. The actual value of taxable property is about \$400,000,000. There are now 150,000 children attending the public schools of Oklahoma. The population is 96 per cent. American birth, of whom fully 97 per cent. are under the age of 50 years. More than 80 per cent. of the population own their homes, and are living happy, contented and prosperous lives.

The emigration into Oklahoma has been chiefly from the states lying to the East and North, and it has been of a class of people marked by indomitable energy and enterprise. The increase in population during each year, for the past five years, has been at least 35,000. The Indian population is about 12,000, including children, and is gradually decreasing.

Thus far there is no record of a pulmonary disease originating in this Territory, and the average annual mortality in the districts lying along the 35th degree of latitude is smaller than in any rural district in the United States.

A few years ago the great railroad companies, recognizing the possibilities of this country, began the construction of a network of steel rails throughout the Territory, and to-day the Rock Island and Santa Fe Sys-

tems run through every county except one, and there is not a town of importance that can not be reached with either their main lines or branches.

Hand in hand with the development of material resources has gone that of education, and to-day the public school system of Oklahoma is the pride and glory of the young Commonwealth. The district schools are managed by a School Board, comprising a Director, Clerk, and Treasurer, elected for three years. This board is responsible for the care of the school house and the finances of the district, employs teachers, and provides the needed apparatus and supplies. Each county has a County Superintendent holding office for two years, who is charged with the enforcement of the school laws of the county.

Custer, the county in which I am located, contains 647,000 acres of high, rolling prairie, susceptible of a high degree of cultivation. The taxable value in 1905 was \$3,785,750, the land taxed being 221,919 acres. There are 112 school districts, with an enumeration of 6,124 children. The wages of teachers vary from \$40 to \$60 per month.

The mean annual temperature of the county is 59 degrees, the average yearly rainfall is 28 inches. Agriculture and stock-raising are the chief occupations, the principal products being corn, cotton, wheat, alfalfa, milo, maize, kafir corn, sorghum, fruits, melons, vegetables, hogs and cattle.

Araphoe, the county seat, is a flourishing town, well built and governed. Weatherford, the metropolis of the county is a thriving city of 4,000 inhabitants. The other leading towns are Independence, Clinton, Parkersburg, Butler and Thomas.

L. F. HOLLADAY.

TARTER.

Farmers are beginning to make preparation for crops. A great many have gotten through plowing.

Mr. W. G. Shepherd, who has been on the sick list, is able to be out again.

R. L. Beard was in Campbellsville last week on business.

Clarence, a little son of Ira Cravens, happened to an accident last week. He got his collar bone broken.

J. J. Helton was in Columbia Tuesday, on business.

Mrs. R. L. Beard, who has been visiting at Neatsburg for the past week has returned home.

A. B. Shepherd, this place, and J. T. Shepherd, Sano, have swapped farms, and will each give possession in the near future.

J. C. White was in Louisville last week, and while there purchased a nice lot of Spring and Summer goods.

A great many young men have left this community in the past few weeks for Illinois. Their name is Legion.

Our Post Master has been on the sick list lately.

W. P. Tarter happened to a painful accident last week by sticking an ax in his foot, almost entirely severing his great toe.

W. G. White and wife were visiting the family of J. I. Cravens, of Webb's Cross Roads last Saturday and Sunday.

W. F. Shepherd and L. T. Winfrey and families, left recently for Illinois.

Mr. J. O. White has purchased an interest in the Tarter & Write moving picture show, and will

accompany W. D. Tarter on the fifth annual tour with their new show.

H. J. Conover and wife, Montpelier, were visiting Rev. W. D. Tarter Saturday and Sunday.

JOPPA.

Owing to so much rain the farmers in this section are not plowing any.

Miss Emma Strange, of Bliss, is visiting Miss Lena Powell at this writing.

Mrs. Maria Powell is the guest of her sister, Mrs. N. P. Berger, this week.

Mrs. Lula Reynolds and little son, Goebel, of Garlin, visited the former's sister, Mrs. J. P. Willis, Thursday night.

Mrs. Elizabeth Cabell is very sick at this time.

Little Miss Alice Conover, of near White Oak, spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Sam Coffey of this place.

A very large number of friends and relatives attended the funeral of Mrs. Joe Samuels, which was held at the home of the deceased aunt, Mrs. Fannie Montgomery. The burial was at the Montgomery burying ground near this place.

Misses Mary and Susan Miller, of Columbia, visited Misses Lutie and Elvora Barger from last Friday night until Monday morning.

Rev. J. L. Adkins preached an excellent sermon at Zion last Sunday. Brother Adkins is an interesting speaker and Zion has been fortunate in securing him as pastor of their church.

Dr. J. G. Bow, State Secretary of the General Association of Kentucky Baptists, will preach at Zion the second Sunday night in April, and as he is an able divine all who have the opportunity should come out and hear him.

OLGA.

Farmers of this section are busy sowing oats between showers.

George Brockman and wife, of Monticello, passed through here last week enroute to their old home for a few days visit with relatives and friends.

George Hays, Montpelier, was here last week looking for hogs. Henry Taylor, Glensfork, was here last week wanting to buy a yoke of cattle.

Rev. W. J. Eatherton and wife were visiting friends near Esto last week.

Log men of this section have been busy on the river for several days rafting and measuring up their logs for the tide.

"To Cure a Felon"

says Sam, Kendall, of Phillipsburg, Kan., "Just cover it over with Bucklen's Arnica Salve and the Salve will do the rest." Quickest cure for Burns, Boils, Sores, Scalds, Wounds, Piles, Eczema, Salt Rheum, Chapped Hands, Sore Feet and Sore Eyes. Only 25c at T. E. Paul's drug store. Guaranteed.

HOLMES.

Mr. John E. Pike is dangerously ill at this writing.

Ruel Cabell will begin another singing at this place in a short time.

Miss Mary Hood will leave for Oklahoma in a few days.

Miss Susie Watson, of Coburg, was visiting Miss Annie Fisher Snuday.

Mr. Sam Franklin, of Glensfork, was visiting his sister, Mrs. S. A. Fisher, last week.

R. O. Cabell has just closed a class in vocal music at the Hovison school house.

WOODSON LEWIS,

Greensburg, Kentucky.

GENERAL MERCHANDISE, DRY GOODS, CLOTHING.

Smoothing Harrows	Wire and Wire Fence.
Cultivators & Plows.	Studebaker, Melburn and Birdsall WAGONS.
Buggies & Surreys.	Deering, Milwaukee and Champion Mowers and Binders
Boss and Uneeda RANGES, Make Cooking a Pleasure.	GASOLINE ENGINES
FERTILIZER, All Formulas.	DISC HARROWS.

If you can't come write and we will supply your needs by correspondence.

PERSONAL MENTION.

THE COMERS AND GOERS

Miss Lola Kratzer, is visiting in Cincinnati.

Miss Cary Hughes, was quite sick last week.

Mr. Camron Dunbar, is visiting in Columbia.

Mr. A. B. Gowdy, has returned to Campbellsville.

Mr. S. A. Mitchell, of Bliss, is laid up with the grip.

Mr. B. F. Rakestraw, Campbellsville, was here last Friday.

Miss Nina Marcum has been quite sick for several days.

Mr. R. B. Wilson, of Bowling Green, was in Columbia Friday.

Mr. W. L. Walker, was on the sick list several days of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cummins, of Sparksday, were in town on business Saturday.

Mr. Rollin Browning and wife, Milltown, visited in Columbia the first of week.

J. P. Hutchison and Basset Hurt, are in Campbellsville, on business this week.

Mrs. E. L. Peese and Miss Zella Pelly, of Pellyton, were visiting in Columbia last Friday and Saturday.

Mr. Woodruff Flowers, of this office, who was quit sick a few days of last week, has returned to his post of duty.

Gov. J. R. Hindman, who spent several days of last week in Louisville and Frankfort, returned home Friday night.

Miss Lilla Stephenson, of Milltown, and Miss Annie Tarter, of Gradyville, were callers at the News office Saturday afternoon.

Mr. S. R. Hughes, of Cincinnati, was here last Wednesday.

Mr. Rollin Hurt, was at the Metcalfe circuit court last week.

Miss Verna Hurt, has been on the sick list for a few days.

Dr. W. R. Grissom, has about recovered from a week's illness.

Mr. D. D. Wilson, Seymour, Ky., was here a few days ago.

Mr. J. C. Simes, of Campbellsville, was here the first of the week.

Mrs. S. C. Strange is in Louisville, buying her military supplies.

Mr. S. S. Eastwood, of Louisville, is spending a few days in Columbia.

Prof. C. Fredrick Ohlmannacker, has been on the sick list for several days.

Mrs. Mary B. Dunbar, Cresselboro, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. H. Wilson.

Mr. J. O. Russell and wife returned from the Cincinnati market Saturday night.

Mr. W. G. Holladay and his sister, Miss Fannie, are in Louisville on business.

Mrs. Lydia Breeding, and Miss Hattie Gilpin, of Sparksday, called at this office Friday.

Miss Lula Todd, who has been on an extended visit to Texas, returned last Wednesday.

Dr. John N. Murrell and wife, will leave for Kuttawa, Ky., this week where the Doctor will practice his profession. He is a fine dentist and an excellent gentleman. We commend him and his most estimable wife to the people of Kuttawa

Agency for The Times.

Subscribers Can Now Get Paper Regularly at Columbia.

FREE COPIES REMAINDER OF WEEK.

If you want the best afternoon paper published in the city of Louisville get The Times, it has all the news that's reliable. Fred McLean is the Agent. Get a free copy the remainder of the week.

Well Worth Trying.

W. H. Brown, the popular pension attorney, of Pittsfield, Vt., says: "Next to a pension, the best thing to get is Dr. King's New Pills. He writes: 'they keep my family in splendid health.' Quick cure for Headache, Constipation and Biliousness. 25c. Guaranteed at T. E. Paul's drug store.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Born, to the wife of Frank Burton, March 8, 1906, a son.

Mr. Ben Jeffries has taken up 160 acres of land in New Mexico.

Judge Baker's next court will be at Burksville, beginning next Monday.

Mr. L. D. Sutherland procured license last Friday to wed Miss Dollie Burton.

Go to Jeffries' hardware store for your corn drills, cultivators, Vulcan Chilled turning plows.

Wm. Carnes, and Attis McFarland, of Russell county, have gone to Nashville with saw logs.

Remember that Wm. F. Jeffries & Sons will sell you the best fertilizer on the market for the least money. 18-2t

Mr. Tom Waggoner will build a residence on Jamestown street, having purchased a lot from Mr. Scott Montgomery for \$100.

WANTED:—White woman or girl, to do cooking and general work at home. Mrs. F. M. ROBERTSON, Columbia, Ky.

Mr. W. T. Price, has given up his profession and has accepted a position in Mr. W. L. Walker's store. He invites his friends to call and see him.

The Peoples' Bank of Metcalfe, located at Edmonston, has increased its capital stock from ten thousand to twenty thousand dollars. The institution is in a flourishing condition.

I have 150 bushels of whippoorwill peas for sale at \$1.25 per bushel. M. O. JACKMAN, Helm, or Creelsboro, Ky.

All kinds of field seed at Jeffries' hardware store—alfalfa, clover, timothy, red-top, blue-grass, German millet, etc. 18-2t

The road from here to Milltown, via Watkins farm is reported to be in a very bad condition. The lane through Mr. Watkins' farm is said to be almost impassable.

Insure in The Farmers Home Insurance Company, of Junction City, Ky. The only company in the State that makes any claim of paying its losses in full. (47) S. I. BLAIR, Agent.

In Mr. J. V. White's advertisement last week, the figures made us say that white Leghorn eggs were worth 20 cents per setting. That was a mistake. He sells them at 30 cents per setting and has never sold a setting for less money.

WHITE POULTRY YARD—Eggs from pure bred chickens. White Plymouth Rock eggs, 50 cents per setting of 15. White Leghorns for setting, 30 cents. Write or call for what you want.

J. V. WHITE, Proprietor, Columbia, Ky.

Mr. H. C. Walker, of Gradyville, has sold his farm and undertaker's business to Mr. Clarence Hindman. Consideration, \$1,500. Since closing the trade, Mr. R. E. Caldwell has purchased a one-half interest in the undertaker's business from Mr. Hindman. Mr. Walker gives possession of his farm at once. He will leave the residence and a six acre lot until the first of September.

In another column will be found an advertisement of W. F. Jeffries & Sons, who are asking your trade when in need of hardware, vehicles and many other things carried in their immense stock. They have just received a car load of buggies, covering many designs and grades. Their manner of doing business is strictly honest and correct in every particular. Read their advertisement and when in town call and inspect their vehicles.

Notice.

Four monuments that sold at \$75 can now be bought at \$50; four that sold at \$25 now \$20, one that sold at \$50 now \$35. When these are closed out no more can be had at these prices.

COAKLEY & SIMMS BROS.

On the front page of this paper Lyon Bros., of Campbellsville, is talking to the trade. This firm composed of R. J. and W. R. Lyon who were reared in this town and whose knowledge of their business is so thorough as to need no recommendation from any one. They are strictly reliable in every particular and have established a reputation in their line that but few firms ever attain in country towns. When writing, writing or calling on them mention the News.

If you need hardware, go to Jeffries' store. 18-2t

There is a good tide in Cumberland river and boats are running.

Mr. John Wallace is erecting a residence near the Roller Mill.

Margaret Miller, a colored girl of this town, died last Sunday afternoon.

For sale, one extra fine O. I. C. boar ready for service, J. R. COFFEY

See Wm. F. Jeffries & Sons' line of new buggies, surreys, runabouts and harness. Car load just received. 18-2t

Frank Sinclair will take charge of the stock of goods recently purchased of Neat, Hancock & Staples, to-morrow the 15th.

Work of fitting up the Citizens Banking house is progressing rapidly, and the corporation will be ready for business about two weeks.

Go to Jeffries' hardware store for your vehicles. You will get the best goods at lowest prices. The material is O. K. 18-2t

Mr. Jo Russell has removed from the Hancock Hotel and is now house-keeping in the residence formerly owned by the late Dr. E. M. Nell.

Mr. J. M. Samuels, of Fairplay, renewed his allegiance to the News, last Saturday and stated. Keep it coming.

It is our information that Mr. J. S. Stapp, has ordered the machinery for his roller mill, the old Fosse site, near town. He hopes to be making flour in a very short time.

FOR SALE:—A new two-story, 6 room house on a one-half acre lot in the Hurt addition near the Somerset road. S. R. SHREVE, Columbia, Ky.

Mr. W. T. Goodman, of Barren county, has bought a one-third interest in the property of Allen Walker & Co. He will remove his family to Columbia in about thirty days.

The attention of the municipal Board is called to the culverts about town. It is said they are full of trash, so much so, that water can not pass through, and when it rains the pavements and streets are overflowed.

Mr. John Lee Walker, is having a residence erected in the Walker and Payne addition, near the home of Mr. Brack Massey. It will be a two story building. Mr. Walker has not yet made up his mind whether he will occupy it himself or rent.

Go to Woodson Lewis, Greensburg, Ky., for your Buggies, Surreys, Buck Boards, Wagons, anything on wheels. They keep the best stock in this Green river country. What they say, they do. They do, they do, they do it right, they do it now. Woodson Lewis, Greensburg, Ky.

The people of this county will regret to learn that Mr. H. C. Walker, of Gradyville, will remove with his family, in the fall, to Gallion, Ala. There is no better citizen than Mr. Walker and he has a most excellent family, and Adams County loses much when such residents take their departure.

The following notice is from a paper published at Center, Texas: Elder Odor, the new preacher for the Christian Church, arrived in the city last night, and will begin his work with a sermon at the Christian church to-night. Bro. Odor was married at Atlanta a few days ago, and brought his bride with him. Go out to-night and get acquainted with the new preacher.

Jodie Burbridge, of color, who murdered Bill McClure, has not been apprehended. It is reported that he was seen making his way out of the county the day after the murder, but the party who recognized him did not know he had committed a crime. There are rewards amounting to \$175 offered for his arrest and delivery to the jailer of Adams County. Burbridge is very black and is between 28 and 30 years old, has a small growth, like a wren over one eye, and will weigh about 150 pounds. In talking he plainly shows his teeth.

NOTICE.

Having sold our stock of goods to Frank Sinclair, we will from now until March the 15th give special bargains, as we have to take and inventory them. In the meantime, all persons who owe us are requested to call and settle.

NEAT, HANCOCK & STAPLES.

PAID LIST

The News Honor Roll—"Is Your Name Written There?"

The following are paid subscribers since our last issue: M. H. Garr, Mrs. Lizzie Pennington, G. A. Atkins, S. K. Baker, Dr. J. N. Murrell, F. P. Gaines, M. F. Sparks, J. A. Atkins, F. P. Gaines, Thos. Buckner, J. L. Wilson, Judge Elliott, Graham, Ben F. Fille, B. C. White, J. M. Samuels, Mrs. J. M. Samuels, Mrs. J. G. Lindsey, Eli Bailey, Wm. Cofer, Mrs. Ellen Holladay.

WILL OF ROBT. CONOVER.

The following paper was probated at the County Court in this month. "I Robt. Conover, of Adams County, Ky., make and publish this my last will and testament, as follows, viz: "I give, devise and bequeath all my property, of every kind and character, to my brother, R. R. Conover.

"I appoint my brother, R. R. Conover, executor of this my last will and testament, and request the County Court to permit him to qualify without security. Given under my hand for my last will and testament.

The will was signed and was witnessed by J. P. Dohoney, Robt. Conover, Rollin Hurt and John N. Conover, and was dated February 5, 1906.

DEATH OF MRS. STAPP.

Mrs. Louisa Stapp, widow of the late Wm. Stapp, died at her late home, four miles south of Columbia, last Friday at noon. She had been sick for several months, and during her illness received the most medical attention. The funeral services were held at Shiloh Church Saturday at 11 o'clock, conducted by Eld. Z. T. Williams. The interment was in the Blair graveyard. The deceased was about 65 years old and had long been a consistent Christian.

MYSTERIOUS CUTTING.

On yesterday (Monday) morning, Sabbe Stone, of color, a young man about twenty-five years old, living on the Sparksville ridge, was found at his home on the bed with his throat cut in three places. The bed was very bloody and no blood anywhere else. He was very weak from loss of blood, and when aroused so he could talk, he said he had done it himself. Later he denied this, but refused to tell who did it. Dr. Taylor, of Columbia, was called to see him, and found the wound deep exposed, but not injured. He sewed up the wounds, and left him in a rather comfortable condition. The cutting was done by a sharp instrument, but no knife or razor could be found.

We are informed that Eld. Z. T. Williams will take charge of the Christian church, this city, and will make his home here at an early day. This announcement will be gratifying to my friends in Columbia and vicinity who admire and love him as an able minister and a true Christian. We are glad to see him here, and we trust that this step will not alone prove good for that congregation, but to the town as well. Every church in Columbia can lay claim to an able pastor, devoted to his calling, and doing a faithful work in this community. It is a blessing to have such ministers, and we should all feel thankful.

A proposition is now on to put in an ice plant in Columbia, and if you desire any stock in it or to aid in such a needed enterprise, now is the time to show your hand. Outside parties are willing and ready to join our citizens in this move and will put up a good part of the necessary means to make it a success. There can scarcely be a doubt about it being a money making scheme on a small scale, and if there is a town in the entire country that needs a cooling from May to October it is Columbia. W. R. Myers can furnish the power at a much less cost than it could be produced by a separate boiler. He is willing to take an interest in it and if others will help the freezing will begin in due time. He has investigated the proposition, found a small plant and a party willing to take an interest and if others will join Mr. Myers this industry will be secured at an early date.

FARM FOR SALE.

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Land, Stock and Crop

B. F. Tupman, bought of W. H. Sinclair 34 hogs 54 cents.

John Kniffey, sold Handley & Beards, 55 hogs at \$5.15 per hundred. He also sold them six steers at 4 cents.

From Olga correspondent: Luther Turner bought 9 head of sheep from B. F. Leach for \$50. J. W. Jackson, sold 1 three year old male to Robert Coomer, for \$85. Selby Bros., Esco, bought 17 head of sheep in this section last week paying 33 cents. Mort Hicks, sold one yoke of steers to parties at Montpelier for \$27.50.

From Villtown correspondent: J. Z. Leachman, bought of the neighbor's 10 hogs at 5 cents: one fat hog from J. G. Thomas, at 25 cents per pound. Jo. M. Thomas, sold to Mr. Sell Hatfield, a 4 year old blind mare for \$50. Willie Penick sold to Anderson Durham, of the Miami community 21 hogs at 54 cents per pound. C. A. Thomas sold to John Calhoun a cow and calf for \$30. Smith & N. pilled through here with a large drove of cattle enroute for the Louisville market.

From Jamestown correspondent: G. W. Helm sold a pair of 2 year mules to Wm. Brown price \$200.

From Tarter correspondent: J. S. Foley, bought from W. F. Shepherd, a tract of land for \$500. W. G. White, sold to B. Luttrell, Casey county, a pair of yearling mules for \$250; also sold to Piles and Tate, eight yearlings for \$15. per head. W. H. Wheat, sold a young horse last week for \$75. W. T. Shepherd sold to C. C. Carter, a 7 year old mare, for \$93.25.

J. H. Young, bought of L. T. Neat, some steers for \$125. He also bought of Mrs. L. T. Neat, six sheats for \$21.15. He sold John W. Burton, the old Darnon farm for \$3,000.

John Harris, son of C. S. Harris, sold a two year old mare mule to C. R. Royle, last Friday for \$115.

W. T. McFarland, bought one mule colt from Hiram Miller, for \$60; J. R. McFarland bought of J. M. McFarland, of Rowena, two calves for \$25.

Sam H. Hancock, bought from C. M. Herford, an imported pony 6 years old well broke and as gentle as a dog for the pitiful sum of \$100.

Coffey Bros., this place, sold S. E. Terry, Glasgow, a harness pony last week for \$200.

Mr. Jo Coffey, Jr., attended the L. W. Preston sale at Glasgow, last week. He reports that horses sold from \$30. to \$1,900.

R. E. Tandy, bought of J. D. Todd, 28 hogs at 5 cents. One bull from same party for \$40; from Ed Jones, 4 hogs at \$10 per hundred; from Ed Jones, 8 hogs at same price; from L. W. Bennett, sold at \$5.35 per hundred; from M. P. Dudley, 2 hogs at 5 cents; from Albert Johnson, 7 hogs at 4 cents; from Geo. Helm, 5 hogs at 5 cents; one cow from same party at \$15.00; from J. S. Helm, 8 hogs at 5 cents; from W. L. Tate, 5 hogs at 5 cents; from J. M. Samuels, 1 hog at \$4.00 per hundred; from Henry Hudson, one hog at 4 cents; one cow from Brack Massey, for \$40; four cattle from Charley Herford for \$80.50.

Miss Effie Bradshaw, will leave for the Louisville market in the morning.

FOR SALE:—Two good combined horses. S. D. CRENSHAW, Columbia. If

Rev. J. P. Scruggs will preach at Milltown the second Sunday in each month.

Mr. Isaiah Turner, who lives near town, is lying very low with Bright's disease.

The Woodman of the World will meet in their hall this (Tuesday) evening. Full attendance desired.

BOARDERS WANTED.

I will take three or four gentleman boarders. MRS. ANN EURANK, Columbia, Ky.

Elmer Willis, the blind negro, who has been running crap games, is not out of the county. In 1904 the county supported him for one month to the extent of 50 cents per week.

JOHN EURANK, J. P. A. C.

Mr. W. D. Newberry, a prominent lumber dealer of Campbellsville, was married to Miss Ellen McFarland, Duluth, Minn., last Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. After a reception held at Mrs. Wm. Anderson's, sister of the bride, the couple left for Campbellsville, Ky., their future home.

McLean Bros., are erecting a handsome modern cottage on their lot purchased from Mr. W. R. Myers, near the roller mill. This seems to us a suspicious move on the part of the boys, and we shall closely watch future developments.

Mr. T. E. Paull is now the owner of the building in which he is doing business, having purchased it from his brother, Mr. R. F. Paull. He also bought the room adjoining, formerly occupied as a barber-shop and will fill it with goods. There will be an entrance to this room from the main building.

Last Friday morning about 2 o'clock, an accident occurred as the back which carries the mail and passengers was entering the bridge, near town. A piece of scantling from the railing of the bridge was caught in a wheel of the back, which frightened the lead horse and the team started at a rapid gait, the piece of scantling flying up, tearing off one of the doors of the back.

A horrible accident occurred at West, this county, Tuesday last week. A five year old son of Mr. Chas. Sparks, in company with other children, were in a garden burning trash. In some way the little boy's clothing caught fire and he was so seriously burned that he died that night. Mr. and Mrs. Sparks have the sympathy of the entire neighborhood.

Deputy Collector A. H. Judd with a posse of men made a raid in Leno county a few nights ago. Near the Mack post-office they captured a still with a capacity of 150 gallons. The whole outfit was found in a smoke-house. The operators learned that officers were on their trail and made their escape.

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The love of money very often makes a man disloyal and impatient to his own town. With the hope of saving a few cents he will send away from home for any and many kinds of supplies thereby crippling every home enterprise. Yet these same people are all the time receiving their portion of the benefits obtained by other members of that same community who steadfastly support their own town, maintaining a market for all. Loyalty to one's own town is one of the most commendable types of patriotism and no matter how patriotic a man may proclaim himself in a general way if he is disloyal in the little that helps to build up his own town and community his patriotism as a citizen is of but small avail. The decrease in population of many small towns and the enormous growth of the mail order houses in large cities during the past five years is certainly a very unpleasant demonstration of the disloyalty of a large portion of the people contiguous to those towns who never think that it is right for one portion of the people to gain their money at home at their usual avocations and then send that money to mail order houses. In that event there would be no small towns for a home market. Before you sent that mail order did you inquire if the merchants of your town had the article you wanted? If you did how much did they ask for it and what did you pay? If you did not inquire of the local merchants then we can say without fear of proof to the contrary that you could have gotten a better article for the same money you sent away. But there are people that know that it is just as necessary to have a purchaser as a producer in any community. To this loyal allegiance our small towns are dependent for their very existence all the time these unpatriots are deriving the same benefits from the location of the adjacent market town as its most ardent supporter.

The inhabitants of our town are contributing their equal portion toward the maintenance of our schools, bridges, roads, churches, indigents and all other courses of governmental and social expenses. What benefit does any community derive from the great mail order house? Do they create a demand for or give employment to any of our farmers, blacksmiths, carpenters, masons, doctors, lawyers, or preachers, or do they in any way enhance the value of any commodity that we or either of us produce? A recent incident fully demonstrated the value of the home town. An enterprising farmer for Illinois, seeking a location, made this remark: "I will give five dollars more per acre, all other things being equal for a farm within four miles of a market town as compared with one out eight." That man never had a thought of mail order house, but did know the benefits and advantages of a home market, a sure object lesson to many. Yours for a square deal.

BRAIN LEAKS.

The boy who neglects his mother will be sure to neglect his wife.

Some people never think of charity until they meet with misfortune themselves.

A "big bluff" is as good as a "big stick" as long as it fools the people.

The hardest thing in the world is to find an easy way of making a living.

RELIGIOUS.

Local prohibition now covers half the State of Virginia.

In a meeting in Hopkinsville, led by Evangelist P. H. Davis, there have been 3000 conversions.

Rev. Geo. O. Cates, of Louisville, has recently led a great revival in Paducah, in which one thousand professed conversion.

The Torrey and Alexander meetings in Philadelphia are attended with great success. They go from there to Chicago and then to Atlanta, Ga.

Every foot of land in Tennessee is under prohibition, except seventeen towns and cities. In eighty-four of the ninety-six counties there is absolute prohibition.

The estimate of the English-speaking religious communities of the world is: Episcopalians, 29,200,000; Methodists, 15,500,000; Presbyterians, 12,250,000; Baptists, 9,230,000; Congregationalist, 9,150,000; Lutherans, 2,800,000; Unitarians, 2,900,000; minor religious sects, 5,900,000; Free-thinkers, 5,250,000; of no particular religion, 17,000,000.

Dr. John G. Paton, the greatest living missionary, says: "God has given us about 17,000 converts from the heathen cannibals of whom we have educated three hundred and thirty teachers and preachers who are helping us in our work." The scene of these great triumphs is the New Hebrides Islands, where he has been laboring for almost half a century.

The American Bible Society is the greatest benevolent institution in America. For ninety years it has sent out an ever-increasing stream of divine truth. From a small beginning it has grown to mammoth proportions and is now giving the Word of God to people in all parts of the world. It is greatly in need of funds to carry on the stupendous work. Ministers of the gospel everywhere should present the needs of this great institution and give everybody an opportunity to contribute. Send the money to Wm Foulke, Bible House, New York.

Atlantic City, N. J., has recently been the scene of a great revival in which 1500 professed conversion. The converts came from all classes of society, Rev. Clarence B. Strouse was the leader. No building in the city would accommodate half the people on some occasions. The largest theater was used which held three thousand. After a night's service the entire audience left the house and marched along the great street singing. The returned to the building with their number almost doubled and a midnight consecration service was held in a summer pavilion.

Revivals of religion are being promoted all over the land. From all parts of the United States there come news of great awakenings. Large cities are being moved with unwanted power; smaller cities, towns, villages and country places are reported unusual revivals are repeated and news of thrilling interest comes to us from heathen lands. The general revival for which Christians have been praying for several years has actually begun. Let prayers continually be made for its universal spread.

School Children's Dyspepsia.

The common form of dyspepsia, or indigestion, which stops the growth of so many school children, is often due to improper or too quickly eaten lunches. While seeking to a correction of the cause, it is also important to cure the disordered conditions of stomach and bowels. This can be done by no medicine so safely and surely as by Dr. Caldwell's (Laxative) Syrup Pepsin. Try it. Sold by Dr. J. N. Page, of Columbia, and Page & Moore, of Cave Valley, at 50c and \$1. Money back if it fails.

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ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED.

Mrs. Mary Baugh, of Somerset, last week announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss E. Pearl, to Mr. Thomas Dannel, of this city. The happy event will take place in Lexington, in the early part of June, the month of roses. Miss Baugh is one of Kentucky's handsomest girls and is a talented musician. She sings beautifully and is bright and attractive. She is the youngest daughter of Dr. Arthur Baugh, deceased, of Russell county, and is a sister of the Rev. Arthur H. Baugh, pastor of the Christian church of this city, and of Mrs. W. L. Dowell, of Somerset. Miss Baugh was a resident of this city for several months last year and has a host of friends here, who were very agreeably surprised at the announcement of her engagement, which appeared in last week's Somerset Journal and Mountaineer.

many friends have been showering him with congratulations since the news of his approaching nuptials has been announced. —Wayne County Outlook.

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WITH OUR CORRESPONDENTS

GRADYVILLE.

We are having plenty of rain. A good time for our tobacco men.

Geo. H. Nell returned from Harrodsburg Wednesday.

L. S. Smith returned to Burkeville Friday.

Mrs. Helen Wilmore was the guest of Mr. L. C. Hindman last week.

Mr. L. M. Wilmore is in Louisville with his youngest daughter this week.

Thos. Dowell was at Edmonton last Monday.

Hon. Rollin Hurt, of Columbia, was here last Saturday.

Will Hunter is at home from school for a few days on the account of his eyes.

Charles Murrell, of the News, was here one day last week.

Uncle Thos. Grady gets around like unto a sixteen year old boy, notwithstanding the ripe old age of 84.

Mr. W. W. Yates attended court at Edmonton last week.

Miss Sallie Diddle, of Columbia, visited relatives at this place a part of last week.

Mr. Jo Mitchell, one of Metcalf's best business men, was here one day last week.

Dr. S. D. Crenshaw, of Columbia, was called to see some of W. L. Grady's fine stock one day last week.

Mr. J. W. Roach, of Sparks, was here last Wednesday and left a receipt for a horse that slips the bridle. Come again Mr. Roach.

The Masonic Fraternity was largely represented at Gradyville Lodge last Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Wm Sexton and wife, who left here a few months ago for the Lone Star State, have returned stating they are satisfied with Texas.

Mr. Poke Mitchell and wife, of Edmonton, spent last Saturday and Sunday with their relatives at this place.

Mr. Sam Lewis, of Columbia, is making our town twice a week. This means plenty of produce at good prices.

Mr. R. D. Moss and wife, of Horse Cave, visited relatives at this place the first of the week.

Mrs. Mary R. Moss and her two grand-sons spent a few days in Columbia the first of the week.

Mrs. Julia W. Baker, who has been living with her children for several years, has resumed house keeping again.

Mr. Jo Coffey, one of Columbia's best stock men, passed through here one day last week enroute for Glasgow.

Mrs. B. B. Grissom and son, Rich, of Bliss, visited relatives at this place last Saturday and Sunday.

A little child of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley England has been dangerously ill for the past few days with brain trouble.

Mr. E. T. Keltner and wife, of East Fork, spent Saturday night and Sunday with the family of E. V. Thompson.

Prof. Olie Taylor, in company with his sister, Miss Alvie, of Montpelier, were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. S. A. Taylor last

Saturday night and Sunday.

Geo. T. Flowers and L. C. Hindman, of our city, have not decided the time they will start for New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Caldwell, of Portland, Mrs. Sam Allen and Mrs. Emily Burton, of Pettit's Fork, spent Saturday night with the family of H. C. Walker.

Rev. G. Y. Wilson and wife returned from Mell chapel last Friday where they closed a very successful meeting.

Miss Mollie Flowers entertained a few of our society people last Saturday night in honor of Misses Atkins and Snow, students of the L. W. T. S., Columbia. The occasion will long be remembered by everyone present.

Mr. Frank Shirley sold all his property last Thursday, and started Monday with his family to the good old State of Texas. His many friends wish him much success.

C. C. Hindman sold last Friday to Elmer Keen, the efficient salesman of Nell & Nell, a combined mare for \$125. This mare is considered one of the best in this section.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Walker received a telegram last Wednesday saying that their son, Robert, was hurt and might lose a limb. Mr. Walker at once sent a telegram of inquiry to know if it was necessary to come. 24 hours later reply came, that it was not necessary to come and that a letter following would explain how accident occurred. Mr. and Mrs. Walker have the sympathy of this community.

On last Wednesday evening a little 5-year old boy of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sparks, of Weed, was burned to death. While playing with other children around a brush fire in the garden its clothing caught fire burning the little boy so badly that death soon followed. The entire community at large sympathize with the family in this sad hour of bereavement.

Died on the 6th at his home near this place, Bro. James B. Dickson, age 84 years. Bro. Dickson was a christian in the truest sense. He was a member of the C. P. Church and lived up to what he professed. The funeral services were preached by Rev. John Roach, at Price's Creek church before a large audience of sorrowing relatives and friends and his remains interred in the family burying ground by the Masonic Fraternity. He leaves a wife and son with the entire community to mourn their loss.

The Missionary Rally at the M. E. church, this place was largely attended. The program was lengthy and interesting and the exercises were just simply good. The training of the little ones for this work is due to the good ladies of this community. The Members of this Mission work extend many thanks to The Adair County News force for the nice lot of programs presented for this occasion.

Starving to Death.

Because her stomach was so weakened by useless drugging that she could not eat, Mrs. Mary E. Walters, of St. Clair St., Columbus, O., was literally starving to death. She writes: "My stomach was so weak from useless drugs that I could not eat, and my nerves so weakened that I could not sleep, and not before I was given up to die was I induced to try Electric Bitters: with the wonderful result that improvement began at once, and a complete cure followed." Best health tonic on earth. See. Guaranteed by T. E. Paul, druggist.

JAMESTOWN.

Mrs. M. E. Jones sold her stock of goods to Otha Wells and rented him her store house on the East corner of the square. Mr. Wells also bought out Lee Lawless' grocery store.

Ethridge Tarter our blacksmith, who sold out about two or three weeks ago and moved to Somerset, has moved back to putting up a blacksmith's shop here and says he has come to stay.

Dr. Logan, who has been confined to his bed for the last two weeks, is getting better.

Capt. J. L. Phelps is quite sick, and has been for several days.

Jim Simpson, a student of Russell Springs Academy, has been home for the last ten days on the sick list.

Vernon and Veston Holt, of the Lindsay-Wilson, are at home, sick.

A Mr. Loy, of Casey county, started with one of John Smith's daughters to Tennessee, but was stopped by Sheriff Hammond, and the old man come on and took his girl back home with him, leaving Mr. Loy feeling like he had let a bird loose.

Abner Jones has gone back to boating on the Cumberland river.

A. P. Simpson, is on the sick list.

Mr. Jones, representing the Cumberland Grocery Co., of Burnside, was here soliciting orders from our merchants.

Messrs. Hancock, Bradley, and Fisher, all commercial drummers registered at the hotel.

MILLTOWN.

The farmers are turning up ground for corn crop and also sowing oats, clover, etc.

J. G. Thomas visited 'Squire Kemp last Sunday.

J. R. Townsends returned home from a several days visit to his relatives and friends in Green county.

Mr. Bill Squires, of Fry, died of cancer and was buried at Summer Shade last Sunday. The funeral was largely attended.

Misses Kate Squires and Emma Thomas visited their friends and relatives at Dunville last week.

Mrs. John A. Blakeman, of Green county, was the guest of Mrs. William Rodgers one day last week.

Rev. Scruggs filled his first appointment at this place Sunday.

Mrs. Bob Hatcher spent last week burying her mother, Mrs. Patsy Finn, who is very feeble.

Mrs. Jennie Caldwell is visiting her granddaughter, Mrs. F. D. Cobb, of Portland.

Misses Myrtle Leftwitch and Annie Kate Calhoun spent last Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Hattie Blakeman, of Greensburg.

Several from this place attended the party at Sherrod Hatcher's last Saturday night.

Mr. George Henry Squires and Joe Allen Thomas visited at Walter Blakeman's Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Vaughn, of Eunice, visited friends and relatives here last week.

Mrs. Vick Butler has a hen that lays a mysterious egg or rather two at a time. The outer egg is about the size of a large turkey egg. It has a mixture of yellow and white in it, and inside of that is a small size, white shell egg. She lays about every three days.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE

Of Valuable Timber and Farm Lands in Adair and Russell Counties, Kentucky, Adair Circuit Court of Kentucky.

N. B. MILLER, Executor of J. P. Miller, Etc., Plaintiffs.
vs.
SARAH A. MILLER, Etc., Defendants.

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Adair Circuit Court rendered at the September term, 1905, in the above styled action, the undersigned Master Commissioner and Special Commissioner of said Court will proceed to offer for sale to the highest and best bidder, at Public Auction, at the Court House door in Columbia, Adair County, Kentucky, on MONDAY, MAY 21st, 1906, about the hour of 1 P. M., (being the first day of Circuit Court) on a Credit of Six and Nine months, equal installments, the Eight Tracts of land mentioned and described in said Judgment, and owned by the late J. P. Miller at his death, and described as follows:

FIRST TRACT: 130 acres lying and being in Russell County, Ky., on the waters of Crocus Creek, and known as the home of the late J. P. Miller. About 115 acres of rich land in a high state of cultivation, and 15 acres of fine poplar and oak timber, and the best ridge land in Russell County.

SECOND TRACT: 88 acres adjoining the first tract on the north. About 70 acres in the finest quality of poplar and oak timber, and 13 acres in cultivation. No buildings. The timber on this tract has been counted and estimated, and there are about 450 poplar trees averaging 31 inches in diameter, and about 500 oak trees averaging 26 inches, and much other valuable timber. These two tracts are known as the Todd land, and will be sold separately, and then together, and the highest bid accepted.

THIRD TRACT: 108 acres adjoining the second tract, mostly all cleared, and in cultivation, and known as to Kelsey or Rambeau place. A good home.

FOURTH TRACT: 42 acres in Adair County on the waters of Crocus Creek, and 1 mile west of Miller's Store, and known as the John Grant place.

FIFTH TRACT: 37½ acres in Adair County on the waters of Crocus Creek, and known as the O. G. Walkup place, and in cultivation.

SIXTH TRACT: 19½ acres in Russell County in the Jackman

Bottom on Cumberland River, and known as the Burrell Campbell place. A good home.

SEVENTH TRACT: 170 acres, less 5 acres sold to Bunch, in Adair and Russell Counties on the waters of Sand Lick, and known as the Nathaniel Morgan land, and just below the famous Sulphur Spring. There is much valuable poplar, oak and hickory timber on this land. Fifty dollars was refused for one poplar tree now standing on said land. One hundred and sixty-five acres will be sold.

EIGHTH TRACT: 71 acres in Russell County on the waters of Crocus Creek, adjoining the 3rd tract, and the same formerly owned by Abraham Aaron, and where Mrs. M. A. Sullivan now resides, and will be sold subject to the Homestead right of said M. A. Sullivan and her children. Reference is made to the Judgment and Order of Sale for a more particular description of these lands. Rents for 1906, will be required to give bonds with good surety, bearing six percent interest from date until paid, payable to N. B. Miller, Special Commissioner, for such uses as the court may hereafter direct, and having the force and effect of a Judgment if not paid at maturity. A lien will be retained on the land as additional security. Taxes for 1906 will be paid by the Estate, and the purchasers must list and pay taxes for 1907. Purchasers must be prepared to comply with these terms immediately.

H. T. BAKER, Master Com.
N. B. MILLER, Special Com.
For further information write to Montgomery & Montgomery, Attorneys, Columbia, Ky.

I will also offer for sale at the same time and place and on the same terms the VALUABLE TIMBER AND FARM LANDS belonging to Mrs. Sarah A. Miller [widow of J. P. Miller] which descended to her from the McClure estate, and lying and being in Russell County, Ky., on the waters of Greasy and Clifty creeks, of Cumberland river, and about

2 to 3 miles from the mouth of Greasy creek, from which place the timber can be run to Nashville or Cincinnati via Burnside, at small cost, as labor is cheap in that locality. 50 cents per day gets the best laborers. There are good mill and factory sites on the lands. These lands have been owned by Mrs. Miller and her kinsmen for the last 70 years and have been carefully guarded and never before the market. This is a voluntary sale and made on account of the infirmities of age and the desire of the owner to become free from the care of timber lands. Title is perfect and no encumbrance. Taxes for 1906 will be paid by the owner, and purchasers must list and pay taxes for 1907. There are 1026 acres of these lands, and will be sold in three tracts separately, and then all together, and the greatest amount accepted.

FIRST TRACT: 490 acres, more or less, on the waters of Greasy Creek, and known as the Mulberry Bottom, about 390 acres in timber of the finest quality, and 100 acres of rich farming land in Creek bottoms, and rents for half the grain. Thousands of barrels of corn have been sold from this farm. It is the 'Egypt' of Russell County.

SECOND TRACT: 384 acres on the waters of Clifty Creek, and known as the Kean tract, about 320 acres in timber of the best quality, and 64 acres cleared. Here is to be found the Giant Oaks in great abundance. Right of way to graveyard reserved.

THIRD TRACT: 152 acres on the waters of Clifty Creek, and known as the Mill tract, about 82 acres in fine timber of all kinds, and 70 cleared. These lands have been surveyed recently and timber on each tract counted and estimated by careful business men, and the result of the count is given below. The name of the timber, number of trees and diameter in inches from 20 inches and up, and from 12 to 19 inches inclusive, are given. Surveys, plots and estimates in detail can be seen by calling on A. H. Ballard, Columbia, Ky.

Timber on First Tract of 490 Acres.

Trees.	Diam. In.	Name.	Trees.	Diam. In.
1783	20 to 48	Ash	63	20 to 44
1494	12 to 19	Ash	175	12 to 19
382	20 to 45	Sugar	98	20 to 28
872	12 to 19	Sugar	1455	12 to 19
288	20 to 42	Beech	654	20 to 36
345	12 to 19	Beech	1530	12 to 19
24	20 to 30	Cum	204	12 to 24
284	12 to 19	Lynn	244	12 to 37
269	20 to 39	Elm	131	12 to 40
1553	12 to 19	Buckeye	108	12 to 36
89	20 to 61	Cedar Telephone Poles	312	
223	12 to 19	Cedar Telephone Poles	219	

Timber on Second Tract of 384 Acres.

Trees.	Diam. In.	Name.	Trees.	Diam. In.
1579	20 to 48	Ash	102	20 to 45
637	12 to 19	Ash	132	12 to 19
507	20 to 40	Sugar	70	20 to 26
486	12 to 19	Sugar	482	12 to 19
374	20 to 60	Beech	392	20 to 30
143	12 to 19	Beech	660	12 to 19
12	20 to 24	Cum	31	12 to 28
180	12 to 19	Lynn	77	12 to 27
364	20 to 36	Elm	23	12 to 40
717	12 to 19	Buckeye	83	12 to 40
136	20 to 71	Cedar Telephone Poles	149	
206	12 to 19	Cedar Telephone Poles	75	

Timber on Third Tract of 152 Acres.

Trees.	Diam. In.	Name.	Trees.	Diam. In.
399	20 to 45	Ash	12	12 to 30
277	12 to 19	Ash	50	12 to 19
112	20 to 40	Sugar	10	20 to 25
154	12 to 19	Sugar	178	12 to 19
48	20 to 42	Beech	140	20 to 28
28	12 to 19	Beech	445	12 to 19
6	20 to 24	Cum	21	12 to 20
39	12 to 19	Lynn	31	12 to 26
41	20 to 30	Elm	22	12 to 28
130	12 to 19	Buckeye	31	12 to 28
		Cedar Telephone Poles	104	

All parties interested are requested to go upon the lands and count the timber for themselves and verify these estimates. A. H. Ballard, Columbia, Ky., and A. A. Miller, Crocus Creek, Ky., will go with parties and show the lands and boundaries; and either

of them can be reached by telephone and daily mail. This is undoubtedly the largest and finest body of timber land to be found in Southern Kentucky, and never before on the market. It has attracted the attention of lumber men for years and will pay any

man to see it. This will be the biggest sale of lands that ever took place in Adair and Russell Counties. Within the last year less than 600 acres of Adair County land and to the highest bidder for \$38,000.

N. B. MILLER, Attorney, Springfield, Mo.